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VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT;  
EDWARD WONG, TRICIA OSBORNE, and  
CHAD JOHNSON

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

PHILLIP BELL JR.; LORNA BARNES; and  
ANTHONY BARNES.

Plaintiffs,

v.

SADDLEBACK VALLEY UNIFIED  
SCHOOL DISTRICT; KLUTCH SPORTS;  
NEXT LEVEL SPORTS & ACADEMICS;  
and ISAHIA SANDOVAL; EDWARD  
WONG TRICIA OSBORNE, CHAD  
JOHNSON; STEVE BRISCOE, and DOES 1-  
20 in their individual and official capacities.

Defendants.

Case No. 4:24-cv-05545-JST

**DEFENDANTS' WITHDRAWAL  
RESPONSE TO PLAINTIFFS' MOTION  
FOR LEAVE TO AMEND**

Date: January 8, 2026  
Time: 2:00 P.M.  
Ctrm.: 6

Assigned to: Hon. Judge Jon S. Tigar

1 Defendants, SADDLEBACK VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT; EDWARD  
2 WONG, TRICIA OSBORNE, and CHAD JOHNSON, respectfully request to withdraw the  
3 Response to the Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave (E.C.F. 120) as it was erroneously submitted in  
4 accordance with this Court's prior order that the response was due on November 13, 2024. (E.C.F.  
5 115.) Defendants, SADDLEBACK VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT; EDWARD  
6 WONG, TRICIA OSBORNE, and CHAD JOHNSON, will submit a response to Plaintiffs' newly  
7 asserted motion to leave on or before the response date set by this Court, November 24, 2025.

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10 Dated: November 13, 2025

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12 By: /s/Anthony N. DeMaria  
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